

IN SOCIETY

Marion Boles entertained about twenty of her little friends at a birthday party last Saturday afternoon. After playing games on the lawn, the children were invited into the dining room, where they were served ice cream and cake. Mrs. Boles was assisted by Misses Fern and Helen Boles. The principal attraction was the birthday cake, lighted with nine candles for Marion and two for little Jean Roseland Boles, the little cousin, whose birthday came on the same day. The following were the invited guests: Agnes and Alice Wright, Florabell Bush, Phyllis Byers, Louise Huddleston, Anna Chamberlain, Margarite Gaskill, Carl Sawyer, Owen Lancaster, Thelma Cain, Horace Huddleston, Geneva Thierier, Olive Connelly, Maxine Rhoades, Ruth Pellette, Geraldine Spencer, Erma Pitcher, Jean Roseland Boles, Ethel Jensen, Emma Jane Corbin. Many nice gifts were received, and the guests left, wishing Marion many more happy birthdays.

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The Friends Sunday school enjoyed a picnic supper at Light's Grove last Friday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Lear and daughter, Gladys, entertained Mrs. L. K. Orr and daughter at dinner last Saturday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Light and family, W. V. Griffith and family, Hal G. Reid and family, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Dodd and Mr. and Mrs. Baty drove over to Ulysses Sunday and visited at the J. R. Lyles home.

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The Westminster Guild which was to meet Tuesday night, the 27th, has

been postponed until October 4th, and will then meet with Mrs. Freda Eldridge.

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The St. Andrews Guild met with Mrs. Perry Eaton Wednesday.

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Mrs. F. O. Hunt entertained the Embroidery club Thursday afternoon. Aside from the regular members, the guests were Mrs. R. E. Ralston of Carthage, Missouri, Mrs. M. F. Swafford, Mrs. Carl Brown, Mrs. Benford, Mrs. Fred Engle, Mrs. L. V. Gardner and Mrs. A. Albertson.

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Misses Mary Acker, Blanche Swan, Wilda Naylor and Dorothy Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laurie, Mr. and Mrs. Frazier, Warren Farmer, Dick Farmer, Billy Nichols, Merle Engle and Chester Naylor enjoyed a fishing and camping trip at the club house on the Cimarron river last Saturday night.

Dr. Miller and wife transacted business in Tyrone Tuesday.

B. H. Von Schrittz of Hugoton, was a visitor in the city the first of the week.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION
Department of the Interior
U. S. Land Office at Topeka, Kansas
September 27, 1921.

NOTICE is hereby given that Herbert C. Brisendine of Kismet, Kansas, who, on July 10, 1917, made Additional Homestead Entry, Serial No. 04753, 014339, D. C., for N 1/4 SW 1/4, W 1/2 NW 1/4, Section 32, Township 33 S., Range 31 West, 6th Principal Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Three Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before the Probate Judge of Seward County, Kansas, at Liberal, Kansas, on the 12th day of November, 1921.

Claimant names as witnesses:
Beler Burr, George D. Orniston,
George H. Rose and Harry W. Lep-
er, all of Kismet, Kansas.
GEORGE S. ALLEN,
Register.

AVERTING FOREST FIRES.

Those interested in the conservation of our forests might learn valuable lessons from a study of how the forests of Sweden are protected from fires, where every man, woman and child is educated to be a forest protector, so that devastating forest fires like those of Canada and our own great Northwest are unknown there. In Sweden promiscuous invasion of the woods by hunting, fishing and camping parties is not allowed, and thus the danger from carelessly dropping matches or abandoned camp fires is greatly lessened; and laws for the protection of forests against fires are very strictly enforced. The people have long since been educated to the danger and the economic loss of forest fires. Good roads are built through the big forests of Sweden, those in the state forests being built by the government, which also compels those owning large forest tracts to build and maintain good roads through them. Because of these forest roads a colonizing plan for the further protection of the forests is made practical, and small settlements of families who divide their time between working in the forests and cultivating their small farms have been established, writes May Strahan in an exchange. These colonization schemes are fostered by both the state and private owners of large forest tracts.

The report that the wife of an army officer living in Washington is a sufferer from leprosy is supplemented by the statement that the attack of the disease is mild, and that there is every hope for recovery. A few years ago such an announcement with regard to a victim of leprosy would have been considered a piece of wild romancing. The leper was doomed, as lepers had been doomed since the beginning of time. Now it is a mere matter of routine that the patient is to be sent to the government hospital in Louisiana, there to receive the newest chaulmoogra oil treatment which Surgeon General Cummings credits with the cure of 86 patients in the federal hospital at Hawaii.

Lenin's declaration in favor of capitalism as the only means to save Russia is now unequivocal and complete. His repudiation of pure communism means that a theory has been tried out—and collapsed, says the London Daily Mail. If Lenin takes the logical step he is bound to annul the seizures of the Bolshevik regime. That would create a more confident atmosphere for the resumption of trade—if there is any—than the government's agreement with Krassin, which leaves Russia's rightful ownership of the money she offers for our goods a question to be answered in courts of law.

It is Bolshevik policy to separate England and France, says London Evening Press. That being Bolshevik policy, and the Bolsheviks being enemies of the British empire, we are encouraged in our conclusion that all true friends of this country must work for the entente, and not only for the entente, but to consolidate the entente into a solid alliance, against which these secret and public enemies will work in vain.

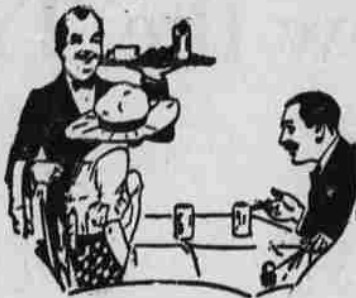
A French professor announces the discovery that the plays attributed to Shakespeare were written by William Stanley, the sixth earl of Derby, which serves to confirm the general impression that the disagreement among people who think Shakespeare did not write Shakespeare tends to prove that he did.



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ELDON DUDLEY

Deaths

Willette Cook, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cook of Arkalon, died Sept. 25th. Interment was made at the Arkalon cemetery.

James E. Lowe, Co. M. 23rd Inf. 2nd division was born Dec. 16 1893 and died at Loissous, France, July 18, 1918. The body was shipped here for burial. Funeral services were held at the Christian Church Sunday Sept. 25th. Rev. Walker having charge. The American Legion had charge at the cemetery.

OBITUARY

Mary Elizabeth Tooley was born near Macon City, Missouri, on March 16, 1873, and died at Liberal, Kansas, on September 26, 1921. Aged 48 years, six months and nine days old.

She came to Liberal about twenty years ago and has lived here and near Gray, Oklahoma, since. She was united in marriage to George Barnett on June 13, 1905, with whom she lived happily until her decease.

Mrs. Barnett was a good wife, faithful mother and true Christian. By her sterling character, she won for herself a large circle of close friends. She was a member of the Christian church, and a faithful follower of Jesus Christ, dying in the assurance of a life beyond the grave.

She leaves to mourn her loss, her devoted and sorrowing husband, Geo. Barnett, one daughter, Mrs. Opal Stolebarger, one son, George Howard, fourteen years old, two sisters, two half-sisters, two brothers and two half-brothers. Her husband and daughter, son and one sister, Mrs. H. A. Grammont of Enid, Oklahoma, with her during her last days. The bereaved family is joined in their great sorrow by a host of neighbors and friends.

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Willette Clare Cook, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Cook, who died at the home of her parents in Arkalon, last Sunday afternoon, September 25th, of diphtheria, was born in Niagra, Stevens county, Kansas, on January 22, 1918.

Although less than four years old, Willette had won a place in many hearts by her loving disposition and sunny ways. To know her was to love her. Her sudden death will be a sorrow to her many little friends of the Kismet Sunday school, of which she was a member.

The sympathy of the entire community is with the bereaved relatives in their affliction.

The funeral conducted by Rev. J. J. Norris, was held Monday afternoon, September 26th, and the body

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to rest in the Arkalon cemetery. "Little footsteps, how we miss them When they sound for us no more; They have crossed the unseen valley They have reached the golden shore. They have gone to lands so distant Even echoes are asleep, Only in our dreams we hear them, Only in our fond thoughts keep."

HAD PAGE AD IN EAGLE

Aldred Vickers, prominent oil man and resident of Wichita, had a page advertisement in the Wichita Eagle last Sunday, telling of his oils and oil products. Mr. Vickers was formerly a resident of this city, and is the son of W. H. Vickers of the Vickers Seed company of Liberal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Gardner drove to the farm near Dombey Wednesday.

J. B. Miller, W. S. Martin and D. M. Fox were Forgan, Oklahoma, visitors Sunday.

O. J. Wilkins drove to Garden City to meet Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wilkins who have been visiting relatives in Loveland Colorado.

Joe Buckland was over from Elkhart, Sunday, visiting with his mother, Mrs. O. P. Buckland.

Attend the Majestic tonight, Friday night, Saturday afternoon matinee or Saturday night, and see the Wallace Bruce Players.

There is talk of a Junior college here. This would be a nice thing for the city. Parents could keep their children at home for two more years and it would bring many more people from the surrounding country, to Liberal.

CASH WATERS COMES
BACK TO STAY NOW

Cash Waters, one of Liberal's best friends and "oldest timers," has disposed of his business interests at Hutchinson, and has come back to Liberal to stay. Cash says Hutchinson is a good town alright, but that comparing size with Liberal, it has nothing on the "Capital City of the Southwest."

Cash says the serum business was a winner, but that he sold his interest to Dr. McClure and returned to be closer to his other interests in and near Liberal.

The Democrat is glad to see Mr. Waters come back, as he is a real booster and we need more of his kind.

W. F. Carson and wife of Beaver, were visitors in the city Wednesday.

Mrs. Alma Grimsley of near Arkalon, was shopping in Liberal yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don T. Edwards of Plains, were shopping in the city today.

You will enjoy the Wallace Bruce Players vaudeville acts at the Majestic theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights.

Human carelessness still causes a greater fire loss each year than was caused by the great Chicago fire, October 9, 1871, fifty years ago.

Wallace Bruce claims they have one of the best vaudeville acts this year that they have ever carried. See this company at the Majestic the last half of his week. Popular prices.